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MEMORANDUM FOR : Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT : Detachment B

REFERENCE : Your memorandum to AC/DPD, dated 8 November 1960,
Subj: Detachment B [REDACTED]

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25X1A 1. In paragraph 6 of reference memorandum you requested that [REDACTED] undertake certain steps to crystallize our plans for the future of Project IDEALIST. The attached papers represent our replies to your direct queries.

25X1A 2. The IDEALIST budget is holding true to forecast, however, with the return of Base B, except for a small holding force, we will [REDACTED]

takes into consideration expenses through January 1961, terminal pay to contractors, salaries for staff type personnel pending reassignment, and transportation for personnel and dependents to the ZI. We are exploring the possibility of further savings in the Eastman Kodak contracts.

3. The attachments are indexed by the following tabs:

25X1A A [REDACTED]
B [REDACTED]
C [REDACTED]
D - Edwards Detachment T/O
E - Edwards Detachment Table of Equipment
25X1A F [REDACTED]
G [REDACTED] the Department

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Attachments:
A thru G as stated

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CURRENT AND PROPOSED OPERATIONS

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		OPERATION	AREA	DATE	APPROVAL STATUS USAF - AGENCY/STATE	
1. <u>IDEALIST</u>						
a. Detachment B returning to ZI (10-man holding unit remaining in place).						
25X1A	b.	[REDACTED]	Hawaii	14-30 November	Approved	Approved
2. <u>CORONA</u>						
a. 9013				29 November	N/R	Approved
25X1A	3. <u>AIR SUPPORT</u>					
		a. [REDACTED] - contingency plan	Iran	Continuing basis	Not presented	Approved-Agency
25X1A	b.	[REDACTED] - contingency plan	Laos	Continuing basis	Not presented	Approved-Agency
		c. JMARC - contingency plan	Cuba	Continuing basis	N/R	Approved
		d. [REDACTED]				
			China	November 1960	N/R	Approved
			China/Viet Nam	November 1960	N/R	Approved
25X1A	e.	[REDACTED] - lift support	Laos	Continuing basis	N/R	Approved
		f. [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	December 1960	N/R	Approved
25X1A	g.	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	January 1961	Approved	Approved

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COMPLETED OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 13-19 NOVEMBER

JMARC

1. Two C-54 "black" flights to Guatemala - 15 November
2. Two C-54 "black" flights to Guatemala - 17 November
3. Two C-54 "black" flights to Guatemala - 19 November

IDEALIST

1. Eight (8) successful [REDACTED] missions flown during period.

[REDACTED]

1. [REDACTED]

PROPOSED OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 20-26 NOVEMBER

JMARC

1. Two C-54 "black" flights to Guatemala - 21 November
2. Two C-54 "black" flights to Guatemala - 23 November
3. Two C-54 "black" flights to Guatemala - 25 November